
APPROPRIATION TO PAY MISCELLANEOUS CLAIMS
AGAINST THE STATE, AND INTEREST ON
THE PUBLIC DEBT OF THE STATE.

H. B. No. 137.]

CHAPTER 55.

An Act making appropriations to pay miscellaneous claims against the State, authorizing the payment of said miscellaneous items on the taking effect of this Act, making additional appropriations to pay interest on the public debt of this State, and to pay Mexican war veterans and to pay Miss Lavinia Harvill as Assistant Librarian at the University for the fiscal years ending August 31, 1922, and August 31, 1923; and declaring an emergency.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. That the following sums of money or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and the same are hereby appropriated out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay miscellaneous claims against the State as herein enumerated and making additional appropriations for the payment of interest on public debt of the State, and to pay Mexican War veterans and providing pay for Miss Lavinia Harvill as assistant librarian at the University.

To pay Mexican War veterans for the fiscal year ending	
August 31, 1922	\$ 6,000.00
To pay Mexican War veterans for the fiscal year ending	
August 31, 1923	6,000.00

To pay Dr. W. S. Hamilton for professional services for State Industrial Accident Board.....	35.00
To pay Dr. D. A. Mann for professional services for State Industrial Accident Board.....	50.00
To pay Dr. J. H. McCracken for professional services for State Industrial Accident Board.....	10.00
To pay Drs. Milwee & Rea for professional services for State Industrial Accident Board.....	80.00
To pay St. Paul Sanitarium for professional services for State Industrial Accident Board.....	50.00
To pay Dr. T. C. Terrell for professional services for State Industrial Accident Board.....	10.00
To pay Dr. James M. Loving for professional services for State Industrial Accident Board.....	10.00
To pay Austin X Ray Laboratory for professional services for State Industrial Accident Board.....	20.00
To pay Dr. Frank L. Barnes for professional services for State Industrial Accident Board.....	15.00
To pay Dr. L. F. Johnson for professional services for State Industrial Accident Board.....	20.00
To pay Dr. T. N. Goodson for professional services for State Industrial Accident Board.....	5.00
To refund Snowden & McSweeney Company franchise tax paid in excess of amount required.....	883.55
To pay the Sinclair Crude Oil Purchasing Company permit fee paid in excess of the amount required.....	2,360.00
Pay to Buell Lumber & Mfg. Co. franchise tax overpaid	36.00
To pay Bennett's Drug Store refund of excess franchise tax.....	22.50
To pay Henrietta Oil and Gas Company franchise tax	133.00
To pay Texas Chief Oil and Gas Company refund of franchise tax on account of double payment.....	2,057.41
To pay Peoples State Bank of Ennis refund of franchise tax.....	27.50
To pay F. W. Zimmerman refund occupation tax.....	10.00
To pay C. S. Purcell, sheriff, outside of State expenses for himself and two prisoners.....	69.67
To pay Tom C. Sikes outside of the State expenses for himself and prisoner.....	103.02
To pay Tom C. Sikes outside of the State expenses for himself and prisoner.....	20.09
To pay Clifford Braly expenses officially incurred year 1917 as district attorney for the 69th Judicial District	181.65
To pay Clyde E. Thomas six day's service as special district attorney for the 32nd Judicial District.....	90.00
To pay Hays Bowers, special representative of the State of Texas vs. Emily Anderson.....	150.00
To pay W. E. Gould, State ad valorem tax erroneously collected.....	11.33
To pay Mrs. Eugenia C. Trask tax erroneously paid...	4.05
To pay Carl Belisch refund of tax.....	21.00
To pay L. M. Fagg tax erroneously paid.....	19.97

To pay W. D. Lang tax erroneously paid.....	63.00
To pay Mrs. E. E. Bryson tax erroneously paid.....	32.32
To pay J. L. Rambo tax erroneously paid.....	27.78
To pay Green and Welhausen tax erroneously paid.....	46.03
To pay H. E. Skaggs tax erroneously paid.....	15.00
To pay W. H. Anderson tax erroneously paid.....	37.50
To pay A. B. Kennedy tax erroneously paid.....	47.80
To pay Mrs. Olga B. Harris tax erroneously paid.....	3.10
To pay J. E. Pledger tax erroneously paid.....	4.96
To pay P. J. Loveless tax erroneously paid.....	45.00
To pay John W. Coffee tax erroneously paid.....	48.00
To pay J. L. Boyd tax erroneously paid.....	217.50
To pay John Spence, five days special district judge, 3rd Judicial District	46.53
To pay W. M. Sleeper, seven days as special associate justice of the Court of Civil Appeals, 3rd Supreme Judicial District	76.65
To pay C. F. Spencer, two days special judge.....	21.90
To pay H. C. Randolph special associate justice of the Court of Civil Appeals, 7th Judicial District.....	175.20
To pay C. L. Black, special associate justice of the Court of Civil Appeals, 3rd District.....	54.95
To pay T. C. Wilkerson, associate justice of the Court of Civil Appeals, 3rd Supreme Judicial District.....	109.50
To pay Charles Phillips, witness fees.....	5.00
<i>*To pay W. I. Rowe while recuperating from a wound received in the discharge of duty and on detached duty as a member of the ranger force (vetoed).....</i>	
To pay J. J. Johnson for loss of one horse by fire Jan. 3, 1921, at the State Juvenile Training School.....	150.00
To pay Roy Catlett for loss of one horse by fire Jan. 3, 1921, at the State Juvenile Training School.....	75.00
To pay Rufus Burleson for loss of one horse by fire Jan. 3, 1921, at the State Juvenile Training School.....	125.00
To pay H. I. Franks for loss of one horse by fire Jan. 3, 1921, at the State Juvenile Training School.....	75.00
To pay T. A. Saunders for loss of one horse by fire Jan. 3, 1921, at the State Juvenile Training School.....	150.00
To pay hospital fees, medical services and undertaker's fees and druggist bill of ranger W. Alsobrook, killed in the discharge of his duty about Dec. 9, 1919.....	410.20
(These accounts to be approved by the Adjutant General.)	
To pay funeral expenses of Delbert Timberlake, a ran- ger killed while in the discharge of his duty, claim to be paid upon approval of Adjutant General.....	377.00
To pay Greig's City Book Store for books purchased by Miss West for State Library.....	237.20
To pay Jno. E. Keller, account with the Court of Civil Appeals, 3rd Judicial District.....	73.63
To pay Fred M. Allison, labor and material on deep	

*Vetoed by the Governor.

well at State Orphan Home, Corsicana.....	3,605.13
To pay Whitesell Brick and Lumber Company material furnished State Orphan Home.....	301.70
To pay Frick Company material furnished State Orphan Home	363.32
To pay Geo. D. Barnard Stationery Company for supplies furnished 9th Court of Civil Appeals.....	53.77
To pay E. L. Steck, account approved by Jno. E. Davis chairman Contingent Expense Acct. for supplies furnished 36th Legislature	15.89
To pay the Southwestern Telegraph & Telephone Co. account services rendered to State capitol.....	24.25
To pay Morgan Printing Co., bookbinding for State Comptroller's Department	81.22
To pay Morris & Co., account of Aug. 18, 1920, at the Tex. Confederate Home	449.40
To pay Dr. A. E. DeViney for professional services at the State Colony for the Feeble Minded.....	72.00
To pay The Austin Laundry & Dry Cleaning Co., work done for Governor's Mansion	64.59
To pay M. K. & T. R. R. freight on two cars fuel oil	223.37
To pay Kattmann & Kneeland Tent Co., Texas flag at San Jacinto Park	20.00
To pay G. W. Brillhart, for the completion of the small children dormitory bldg. at State Orphan Home	2,277.48
To pay Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Co, car coal Nov. 14, 1917, to Woman's Confederate Home.....	265.33
To pay Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Co. car coal Jan. 1, 1918, to Woman's Confederate Home.....	243.11
To pay Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Co. car coal Jan. 4, 1918, to Woman's Confederate Home.....	280.16
To pay W. F. A. Ellison, bath tub installed by Supt. Buildings and Grounds in State owned building.....	20.00
To pay The Dallas Morning News, advertising bids for the State	38.86
To pay Pleas Chance windmill repairs and labor at Fannin Park	43.00
To pay The Michie Co., supplies for the Court of Civil Appeals, Ft. Worth.....	63.00
To pay Denoyer-Geppert Co. maps and chart sold April 30, 1918, to the State Orphan Home.....	112.40
To pay The Tablet & Ticket Co., 12 mos. director service to May 18, 1919, at State capitol.....	50.00
To pay Dan Wiggins for cotton destroyed by the provisions of the Pink Bollworm Act of 1919.....	43.83
To pay Ben S. Wilson for cotton destroyed by the provisions of the Pink Bollworm Act of 1919.....	129.75
To pay Chas. W. Fisher for cotton destroyed by the provisions of the Pink Bollworm Act of 1919.....	360.00
To pay each of the folloiwng persons the amounts set opposite their names for loss sustained on cotton by complying with orders of the Commissioner of Agri-	

culture in attempting to carry out the provisions of the Pink Bollworm Act of 1919....

C. C. Plummer	65.00
C. M. Nelson	80.00
W. G. Bayliss	140.00
John Johnson	85.00
J. W. Nelson	140.00
J. T. Bayliss	100.00
Jerry Wilburn	75.00
C. W. Vickers	125.00
D. T. Baldwin	900.00

<i>*To refund franchise taxes paid by foreign corporations on capital, surplus and undivided profits not used in Texas only, during the years 1907 to 1917, inclusive, under State statutes declared unconstitutional in the case of Crane Company vs. Looney, reported in 24.. U. S.,; provided it shall be the duty of the Secretary of State to ascertain from said corporations by sworn reports and information the amount of capital, surplus and undivided profits upon which franchise taxes shall be refunded; he shall deduct from total capital stock, surplus and undivided profits of each of such corporations the capital surplus and undivided profits used exclusively in Texas. All franchise taxes paid on such capital stock, remaining surplus and undivided profits shall be refunded. The amount of capital stock, surplus and undivided profits not used in Texas shall be in the same proportion to the capital, surplus and undivided profits used in Texas as the total gross receipts of the entire business of the corporation bears to the gross receipts of all business done in Texas (vetoed).....</i>		175,000.00
To pay interest on public debt for the year ending Aug. 31, 1922		135,091.00
To pay interest on public debt for the year ending Aug. 31, 1923		135,091.00
To pay T. F. Loftus tax erroneously collected for the year 1917		150.00
<i>*To pay Dallas Employment Co. for refund on unused portion on employment agent's license (vetoed).....</i>		27.78
<i>*To pay Jacob H. Schultz, for refund on unused portion on employment agent's license (vetoed).....</i>		20.13
<i>*To pay Thomas Employment Agency for refund on unused portion on employment agent's license (vetoed)</i>		29.72
To pay Placid Petroleum Co. refund of gross receipt tax erroneously collected.....		20.85
To pay armory and stable rental incurred for the fiscal year beginning Sept. 1, 1919, and ending Aug. 31, 1920 by Adjutant General's Dept., for which there was insufficient appropriation		6,410.00

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To pay for tents, cots, blankets and other military supplies ordered by the Governor that were loaned to the citizens of Grandview account destitution caused by fire. This represents that part of government property that was lost or destroyed and never returned, claims to be paid upon approval of Adjt. General...	582.86
To pay for the liquidation of miscellaneous claims that have accrued against Adjt. Gen'l's Dept. during fiscal year ending Aug. 31, 1920.....	1,961.19
To pay Forrest Reagan Sheriff outside of State expenses for return of prisoner from Denver, Col., to Rusk.....	54.79
To pay N. M. Gay for refund of Loan-brokers occupation tax collected under law declared unconstitutional	285.00
To pay Kinnison Bros. for material furnished and labor performed at State School for the Blind, year 1917 and 1918, claim to be paid upon approval of Supt. of the School for the Blind.....	130.25
To pay W. J. Holland Sheriff outside of State expenses for return of prisoner from Atlanta, Ga., to Angleton	133.19
To pay C. B. Live Stock Company refund of corporation permit fees account of double collection.....	50.00
To pay John K. Donnan refund on tax erroneously collected	12.00
To pay Joske Bros. franchise tax erroneously collected	93.50
To pay to J. G. Bruner of Atascosa County, Texas, father of J. E. Bruner, member of Troop A, Second Regiment, Fourth Brigade, Second Cavalry, National Guard of Texas, who died while a member of said National Guard, on October 21, 1918, while awaiting introduction in the Regular Army, the sum of \$150, for burial expenses.....	150.00
The sum of Twenty-five Hundred (\$2,500.00) Dollars is hereby appropriated to pay for the bronze statue of Joanna Troutman on the Troutman monument in the State Cemetery with the express provision that the Troutman monument on which the same is erected shall have inscribed upon it an inscription which shall be historically correct, and to pay for a bronze tablet to be placed on one side of the pedestal of said monument giving the names of the men who were in Fannin's massacre at Goliad.....	2,500.00
To pay Bob Buchanan, Sheriff out of State, expenses for extradition of Frank G. Mock.....	99.77
Total	\$ 490,199.31

SEC. 2. The fact that the regular session of the Thirty-seventh Legislature adjourned without passing the appropriation bill, and the further fact that a great number of the claims for which appropriations are herein made, are long past due, and that public policy requires that all just demands upon the State be adjusted with as little delay as possible, creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the constitutional rule requiring bills

to be read on three several days be suspended, and this Act take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

[NOTE.—The enrolled bill shows that the foregoing Act passed the House, no vote given; and passed the Senate with amendments, no vote given; that House refused to concur in the Senate amendments and requested a Free Conference Committee. That Senate granted request of House. That House adopted report of Free Conference Committee, no vote given; and Senate adopted report of Free Conference Committee, no vote given.]

Approved, except as herein indicated, September 3, 1921.
Effective September 3, 1921.
